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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116**

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Sir:

This Amendment After Final Rejection is being filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 25, 2008 in the above-identified application. Because this Reply After Final Rejection is being filed within two months of the mailing date of the Final Office Action, Applicants respectfully request an Advisory Action according to section 706.07(f) of the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure (MPEP). Reconsideration and further examination are requested.

A Notice of Appeal from the Final Office Action is being filed concurrently.

Please amend the application as follows: